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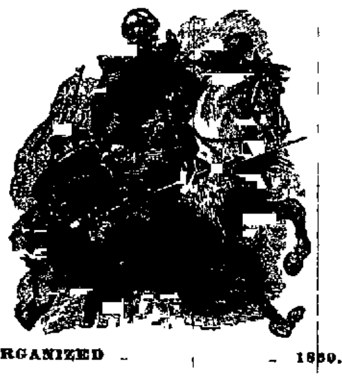

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By Overland Telegraph

[SPECIAL TO THE OREGONIAN.]

EASTERN DATES TO DECEMBER 22.

Washington News.

[illegible] 21.—The [illegible] says the Times' Washington [illegible] yesterday afternoon after four [illegible] in executive session. The [illegible] the Senate had the right to [illegible] were the principal supporters [illegible] Morton, Sumner and Wilson [illegible] Senate all the [illegible] recommendations respecting persons [illegible] Judges.

The story about the lease of the Bay of Samana is largely fiction and sensation. The Island has not been transferred to the United States. General Babcock merely went to investigate and report and probably brings an official proposition regarding the lease from President Baez.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—General Babcock of the President's staff just returned from a second visit to San Domingo this morning and is in the Executive office to-day attending official duties.

The Senate in Executive session confirmed a large number of Postmasters, among them Jos. Nye.

Congressional.

In the Senate the Vice President called attention to the requirements of law for filling vacancies occasioned by the death of Fessenden as one of the Regents of the Smithsonian Institute.

Cragin reported favorably on the law against polygamy in Utah.

Warner introduced a bill for the more equal distribution of the national banking capital, providing that the amount of circulating notes issued by banking associations should not exceed $340,000,000. The preference to be given in issuing said notes to sections having the least national banking circulation, requiring the Secretary of the Treasury to retire an amount of three per cent certificates equal to the amount of the issue of bank notes under this act.

Sumner moved to take up the bill relative to telegraphic communication with foreign countries. After discussion relative to the propriety of giving priority to this bill the Senate went into executive session.

In the House the reading of the journal was dispensed with that the debate on the Georgia reconstruction bill might be continued. Several members obtained leave to print speeches on the subject. Potter argued against the bill. Voorhees followed on the same side. Voorhees ascribed the introduction of the bill to the President and declared that Georgia was a State and as such the Federal Government had not power to prescribe how she shall organize her Legislature. Mr. Eldridge opposed the bill. He asserted that the House had almost ceased to be a deliberative body and its action was dictated by leading partizans of the Republican party. Cox denounced the bill as the gospel of anarchy and the philosophy of revolution. When he found the Governor of a State hanging round the halls of Congress begging to have his State taken out of the Union it led him to inquire the reason, which he found in a letter read yesterday from the Treasurer of Georgia, charging Gov. Bullock with peculation. Bingham said the bill was in conflict with the letter of the past legislation of Congress on the subject of reconstruction, in conflict with the express order of the President when he was General of the Army acting under the law of reconstruction in 1868 in relation to Georgia, in conflict with the utterances of the Attorney General of the United States in reference to Virginia under the operation of all reconstruction acts, in conflict with all past legislation and of the interpretation of the Constitution. He declared the law was not worthy a moment's consideration by the House and that he would vote against it. He moved to postpone its consideration till the third Wednesday in January. Farnsworth opposed the bill and supported the motion to postpone. In case that failed, he would vote against the bill. Haine, Whittmore and Logan supported the bill. Butler of Mass. closed the debate replying briefly to the arguments made against the bill to-day. The House proceeded to vote on Bingham's motion to postpone, which was rejected—54 to 111. The Republicans voting for postponement were Bingham, Farnsworth and Finkleburg. The amendment of Beck was repealed and the bill passed—121 to 51. Among the negatives were Farnsworth and Bingham.

The Senate joint resolution suspending the existing provisions of the law for taking the census was passed.

Niblack offered a concurrent resolution extending the recess from January 5th to the 10th. Adopted.

Jones of Kentucky called up his resolution requesting the President to detail one more ship of war to meet at sea the English war vessel coming to this country with the remains of Peabody and convey it into port. He supported it with a resolution in eulogy of the character of Peabody. Schenck moved to adjourn, giving as one reason for the motion that it was incurring expense which this resolution would render necessary. He thought Congress had already given public testimonials of its respect for Peabody. Ungracious as it might be he would say that he would rather divide a little of that respect and attention by sending ships to meet the bodies of some hundreds of individuals, the poorest though they might be, who in proportion to their means while the struggle was going on for the life of this nation gave their time, energies, hopes and endeavors along with their sympathies for the Union. Voorhees deprecated this discussion since the resolution had been introduced, as any negative action would be construed by the civilized world as a mark of disrespect to a man whom the civilized world delighted to honor. Jones said his sense of propriety forbade him to allow the discussion to proceed further and he moved the previous question. After several motions intended to defeat the resolution it was adopted in a modified form authorizing the President to make such preparations for the reception of the body of our distinguished philanthropist as were merited by his glorious deeds and in a manner commensurate with the justice, magnanimity and benignity of a great nation.

A resolution from the Committee on Accounts allowing clerks to a number of Committees was adopted.

Several resolutions of inquiry were adopted when the House adjourned till to-morrow with the understanding that the session shall be for general debate alone.

WASHINGTON, Dec. [illegible].—The Senate to-day confirmed a large number of nominations, including the following: Samuel Henderson, Postmaster at Santa Clara, Cal.; [illegible] Postmaster at Vallejo, Cal.; Henry [illegible] to Brazil; [illegible] to China; [illegible]

The following [illegible] Assayers in the Branch Mint [illegible] Denver; [illegible] Taggart, Assessor [illegible] New Mexico; J. Folger, Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York; [illegible] Superintendent Branch Mint [illegible]; James M. Mason [illegible] First Assistant Postmaster General; [illegible] of Santa Fe, New Mexico; Edgar W. Hillyer, Judge of [illegible] District Court [illegible]; [illegible] of Montana; [illegible] New Mexico; [illegible] at San Francisco; [illegible] Santiago de Cuba. For the Navy: [illegible] Ammen, Chief of the Bureau of Yards and Docks [illegible] Nevada [illegible] for California.

CHICAGO, Dec. 22.—In open session on yesterday of the Senate, the House census bill was reported from the committee favorably [illegible] under the existing law [illegible] important [illegible] Finally [illegible] passed suspending the operation of all existing laws relating to the census until February 1st, after which the bill was continued.

The [illegible] telegraph bill was taken up and discussed at considerable length and finally recommitted. Adjourned.

The nomination of Judge Hoar to Associate Justice of the Supreme Court has not been considered in executive session. The temper of the Senate is not favorable to his confirmation. It is reliably ascertained that yesterday's debate in secret session on the resolutions asking the President for the recommendations upon which Circuit Judges were nominated was conducted in a spirit altogether friendly to the President.

Liberality to the Clerks.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—In the Board of Assistant Aldermen yesterday, a resolution was adopted presenting forty five clerks of committees with $500 each for extra services. Lawrence Harmon was presented with $1,000 for the same service and $4,000 was donated to four or five churches and charitable [illegible].

The War in South America.

A Rio letter of Nov. 21st says: The Emperor of Brazil informed the Ministers who demanded the cessation of war that he could not treat with Lopez or cease war so long as the latter was free in Paraguay. The Brazilian army is on scarcity rations. Lopez cleans the country as he retreats.

New York News.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—The Cuban expedition which left this city Friday night to intercept and destroy the Spanish flotilla at sea is a failure. The filibusters have returned.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Neilson, President of the New York Stock Exchange, writes that no proposition has been entertained by that body to buy St. Paul's Church, that the idea of perverting to any secular purpose the ground on which stands that sacred edifice is as repugnant to the feelings of the brokers as to those of Rev. Dr. Dix, who wrote the indignant letter that appeared yesterday.

The wife of Peter Cooper died suddenly to-day.

David D. Richardson, the murderer, was yesterday sentenced at Bergin, New Jersey, by the Court to 20 years imprisonment in the State prison.

J. A. Wimpy, a Congressman from Georgia, publishes a card this morning claiming that in his correspondence with Wegan & Co. on the subject of supplying Georgia with counterfeit money, he was only actuated by a laudable desire to entrap rogues into some act by which they could be brought to justice.

No decision has been reached in the stock gambling case of General Hawkins and Bliss, but it is believed the jury will fail to agree.

Rev. Morgan Dix, in response to a proposal from the brokers to purchase St. Paul's Church and graveyard for a site for the proposed new stock exchange, says that venerable temple and the bones of the dead are not yet for sale and probably never will be.

Rosa Celtina, a noted contralto, who sang to a brilliant house in the Academy of Music Friday night, died on Sunday of heart disease.

McFarland was arraigned to-day in the Court of General Sessions for the murder of Richardson and pleaded through his counsel "not guilty." No day was fixed for trial.

Governor Hoffman has issued a proclamation offering five hundred dollars reward for the arrest of the murderers of Dr. Mead.

The Canadian Rebellion.

CHICAGO, Dec. 21.—A St. Paul special says a company of mounted insurgents took possession of the Hudson Bay Company's fort near Pembina at last. Gov. McDougall's attempt to organize Indian forces to get up a counter revolution has utterly failed. The greater part of his agents and emissaries were captured, and the whole country is a unit. The French under Rielle are in undisputed occupation of the whole country. McDougall is absolutely without a faction. All have deserted except about fifty swamp Indians. It is said McDougall is preparing to return.

The San Francisco Whisky [illegible]

CHICAGO, Dec. 22.—The *Tribune's* Washington special dispatch says Supervisor Fulton, who went to San Francisco in reference to the large lot of eastern whisky belonging to Kentucky and Ohio parties, reports to Commissioner Delano recommending the release of the whisky. He expresses the opinion that the shipment from New York was in regular order, and the change in the color complained of as evidence of fraud was due to the charring of the barrels. The evidence goes to show that the deputy Collector was in a plan to drive out and keep out eastern whisky. It is also charged that leading financial influences in San Francisco combined for that purpose, and as part of that scheme no quotations of whisky appeared in the papers of that city for three months. When the late removal of Revenue officers were made three different names were submitted to Commissioner Delano by the ring, but upon investigation it was discovered that charges were pending against each of the persons recommended which if proved should send them to the penitentiary.

Denver Pacific Railroad.

CHICAGO, Dec. 22.—An Omaha dispatch says the completed portion of the Denver Pacific Railroad has been turned over to the Company. Regular trains are running from Cheyenne to Evans, thence stages to Denver.

Cuban News.

HAVANA, Dec. 20.—Telegrams from the Cinco Villas district announce the dispersion of Villa Meil's band of insurgents during the night. Forty four rebels were killed and many wounded. The Civil Guard attacked the insurgents in the Amader mountains and killed 23. Other Spanish columns have had slight skirmishes with insurgents. Many rebels are presenting themselves to the Spanish authorities for pardon.

Miscellaneous.

WHEELING, Dec. 20.—A freight engine on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad exploded last night, killing the engineer instantly and seriously wounding the fireman.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 21.—Jean Jourdo, an employe in the Western Union Telegraph Office, fell from a [illegible] story window of the building this morning and was instantly killed.

Four inches of snow fell last night and it is still snowing. The storm extends over a great portion of the country west.

NASHVILLE, Dec. 21.—Returns of the Convention election come in slowly. The vote is all one way outside of East Tennessee, where the only opposition is manifested.

POUGHKEEPSIE, Dec. 21.—The clothing and stocking manufactory of John Buckby, at America, was burned to-day. Loss $4,000.

QUEBEC, Dec. 21.—An attempt will be made to remove the seat of the local Legislature to Montreal in the event that the ministry pass by vote $60,000 for public buildings.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 21.—The steamer [illegible] from New Orleans with a valuable cargo of groceries collided during a heavy snow storm to-day with the steamer *Champion*. The former sank and will probably be a total loss.

[illegible], Dec. 21.—An immense meeting of Factory operators and their friends was held last night. Addresses were made and resolutions of sympathy with the strikers demanding the enactment of a ten hour law passed.

[illegible], Dec. 21.—Yesterday the bodies of Mrs. Swank, her oldest daughter and her youngest child were found in the mine.

[illegible], Dec. 21.—Five inches of snow fell during the night.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

PARIS, Dec. 20.—General Banks had a long and very interesting audience with the Emperor yesterday. The Emperor expressed an earnest wish for a satisfactory understanding with the United States in postal and other equally important matters. He regretted his ministers had not fulfilled his desires in this respect.

PARIS, Dec. 21.—It is reported that Prince Napoleon will soon resume the Presidency of the [illegible].

[illegible], Dec. 21.—Advices from Rio to the 6th state that the vomit has broke out among the soldiers of the allied army.

It is reported that Lopez has fled to Bolivia.

[illegible] Arthur [illegible], Under Secretary of the Foreign Department and member of the House of Commons for Chatham, made a speech in that city last evening. He expressed his hearty satisfaction on the settlement of the American naturalization question and stated that an act has been granted which would be brought before Parliament on its next session enabling British subjects to divest themselves of nationality whenever they see fit.

The steamship *Monarch* with the remains of Geo. Peabody sailed for America to-day.

PARIS, Dec. [illegible].—At a fete given at the Hotel de Ville last night, Baron Haussmann, Prefect of the Seine, made a speech in which he pointedly referred to recent events in Paris and declared that in spite of the fact that excesses had been committed by some persons in the name of liberty, his hearers might rest assured that order would be preserved.

Mr. Hanfman, a native of Germany, has been expelled from France for making violent Radical speeches at political meetings.

Le Marseillaise, the new journal of Henri Rochefort, has already attained a circulation of 100,000.

The *Journal Official* announces the wreck and total loss of the French war steamer *Gorgon* while on her way from Spain to Cherbourg.

OUR SAN FRANCISCO DISPATCH.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 22.—President Grant has tendered Postmaster Coey of this city the position of Collector of Internal Revenue of this *District*, which position was made vacant by the death of Collector Rawlings. The tender was declined, Coey preferring his present office.

United States Marshal Morris has received orders from the Court to sell the [illegible] of Isaac S. Josephi & Co., bankrupts [illegible]

Nequal, the man charged with the murder of Carrie Diamond, was admitted to bail in the sum of $2,000.

The Coroner's inquest upon the remains of Murray Thompson decided that his death resulted from poison, having by mistake been put in a prescription compounded for him by a druggist.

Charles Taylor was arrested to-day on a charge of forgery. He took a letter from the Postoffice directed to Charles Hudson which contained a check of $35, forged the name of Mr. Hudson and drew the money on the check. He has [illegible] the crime.

Sam Harding, during the past three days, has collected for the Ladies' Protective Relief Society and Orphan Asylum, $1,751.75 in coin and nine tons of groceries.

Mining Stocks.

Mining stocks this morning were [illegible] weak, nearly all descriptions closing [illegible] lower than at the corresponding Board yesterday. G. H. 76, Savage 45, H. & N. 159, Crown Point 18, Chollar 15, Kentuck 156, Ophir 14, Occidental 122, G. & C. 78, Yellow Jacket 45.

Weather clear and cold but pleasant.

French Opinion of the Ecumenical Council.

[From the Paris Constitution, Nov. 23.]

* * * The infallibility of the Pope is not a question of theology, but it may, according to the solution given to it by the Council, involve in civil and political matters decisions contrary to the constitution of modern [illegible]. The [illegible] are therefore quite justified in paying [illegible] attention to the subject. The King of Italy, in his opening speech to his Parliament, [illegible] gave to the nation the assurance that he will maintain the integrity of the rights [illegible] against all attempts at clerical usurpation; the [illegible] government also replies to the note of Bavaria, relative to the Council, that it will [illegible] any pretension of the Church contrary to the laws of the kingdom. [illegible] What will the [illegible] truth? The [illegible] the question is what will be the conduct of the Church. The attitude of the German Episcopacy and of a part of the [illegible] the belief that the partisans of [illegible] will not triumph without [illegible]. They will give rise to [illegible] animated debates, which will [illegible] so long, and it [illegible] that things will be left [illegible] pense, and the Council will separate without coming to any decision. Such at least is the probable [illegible]

[Rome (Nov. 20) [illegible] of the Paris [illegible]]

The chances appear still to be in favor of the adoption of the principles [illegible] in the Syllabus and of the proclamation of the Pope's infallibility. The majority of the bishops [illegible] assembled here, to the number of 106 [illegible] themselves, it is said, to that [illegible], but the greater part are bishops without [illegible] by the Holy See, who [illegible] which do not exist, and who [illegible] only a personal opinion which may be modified by discussion, if any take place. The book of Mgr. Maret is [illegible] by the [illegible] and combatted by the Jesuits. It has not [illegible] brought under the ban of the Index [illegible] but the [illegible] of copies into the capital of the Papal States has been [illegible]. You are aware that the system is to [illegible] shortly before the Christmas fetes. There was the more reason to believe that the [illegible] would take place this year that the [illegible] was that the Pope desired to fill up, before the [illegible], the vacancies existing in the Sacred College. It seems a different decision has been come to and that for the moment no promotion of Cardinals will take place. None of the [illegible] vacant will be, it is supposed, [illegible] before the Easter of next year. I feel some [illegible] in telling you what are the [illegible] for this [illegible] because they touch on [illegible] on which it is always so delicate to [illegible]. However, it is my duty to keep you acquainted with current rumors, as well as with facts, with all reserve. I decide to be the echo of the public voice. We are assured then, that the court of Rome [illegible] certain repugnance to invest with the purple a candidate (Archbishop of Paris) who has been for a long time [illegible] by a powerful foreign sovereign, and as it is held to be [illegible] at the Vatican not to disoblige, especially at this moment, a protector so highly placed, all promotion to the cardinalate is postponed, in order not to offend his susceptibility. As to the motives of this disinclination, it is infinitely [illegible] for you to divine than for me to explain. [illegible] causes already old, there have been added others more recent. Let us hope that the presence in Rome of the prelate concerned will be sufficient to dissipate unjust prejudices. The arrival of strangers still continues to be moderate, with the exception of ecclesiastics. Many apartments are to be let and most of the hotels are as yet anything but full. Numbers of applications, however, are now received by the bankers dealing with foreigners, for *Laissez passer*, which are gratuitously granted by the Minister of the Papal finances to avoid the annoyance of the Custom House both at the frontiers and at the gates of Rome.

From the Wanderer of Vienna, Nov. 22.

Though few practical results are expected from the December ecclesiastical assembly, it is attracting more and more the attention of the political world. A correspondent of the Augsburg *Gazette* writes from Rome to that journal that now, as in the time of the Council of Constance, two parties stand opposite to each other in the Eternal City. One of these maintains the doctrine that the Pope is superior to the Council, which represents so to speak the Holy Father's [illegible], while the other insists that "the attribute of infallibility does not belong to the Pope but to the Church assembled in Council."

In the expression, the Pope is the minister [illegible] head (*caput ministeriale*) of the Church, the hierarchical absolutists lay the stress on the head and the others on the minister. It is known to what contests [illegible] these gave rise at the councils of Basle and Ferrara. The Paris *Liberté* lately published a [illegible] from Rome which gave [illegible] about the parties in the [illegible]. Cardinal Antonelli, it is stated, [illegible] have no influence whatever and his opponent [illegible] his own great disappointment just as [illegible] the other hand the foreign prelates seem likely to be the masters of the situation. Dupanloup will play a very important part, and Deschamps, Bishop of Malines, will be the leader [illegible] the Belgian clergy. The bishops of Fulda will form a group by themselves which will comprehend the majority of the German bishops. Finally the Jesuits will rally to their standard all who desire to elevate the Syllabus into a creed and who are convinced or affect to be so that the personal infallibility of the Pope will be the crowning glory of the Catholic ecclesiastical constitution. In spite of all the efforts of the last named party, however, it cannot be doubted that many of the clergy will decline to march in leading strings.

Multnomah Lodge No. 12, I. O. G. T.—Holds Regular Meetings [illegible] evenings of each week. All members in good standing are invited to attend. By order of W. C. T.

The Daily Oregonian.

THURSDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 23, 1869

The State Teachers' Association.

The State Teachers' Association will meet at this city next Tuesday. This is an organization which has had an existence of about seven years, during which time it has held only annual sessions, attended by an average of perhaps twelve or fifteen members or persons interested in a general way in educational matters. It would seem that having been organized for so long a term and for the promotion of one of the most vital interests of the State, it ought by this time to embrace in its membership every man and woman of the State engaged in teaching or connected in any way with the management of our high and common schools. Such is, however, not the fact. We doubt if its rolls can show an *active* membership of fifty persons; more likely, not over thirty. The present condition of the Association shows, we think, that there is some radical defect in its organization and in its methods of conducting its affairs. We have observed that its sessions are [illegible] brief and that, wherever held, they have attracted but little attention. To the active members, this has been a source of regret, annoyance and wonder. We venture, however, to suggest that there is no occasion for surprise, at least, in the fact that the Association has failed of its original main purpose. In the beginning, as we well remember, it was the [illegible] to make the Association the nucleus of a State Normal school—for the preparation of teachers for their avocation, to bring about a uniformity of the methods of teaching, and to improve our common school system. After a session or two, however, the Association fell into the hands, mostly, of teachers connected with high schools, and fogies who cared more for the discussion of some abstract matter in which common schools could have no possible interest, than for the real, active practical, labor had in view at the start. The idea of a Normal school was therefore soon abandoned, in consequence of which the Association lost its attractiveness to all that class of men and women who earnestly desired to fit themselves for the avocation of teaching as a profession for life. Since, the annual sessions have been but little more than a convocation of a dozen people who for two or three days have amused themselves in a sleepy way with lectures [illegible], having about as little to do with promoting general educational interests as could well be imagined. As an instance of the [illegible] nature of the [illegible], we have only to cite the [illegible] so far as is known, of the approaching session. Rev. H. K. Hines is an[nounced] [illegible] on the "Education [illegible]"—whatever that may mean. The [illegible] may, and doubtless will, deliver an interesting address; but we will venture the [illegible] that it will be better adapted to the education of a "Society of Philosophers" than [illegible] matters of every day [illegible]. Col. [illegible], an address on the subject of "Graded Schools." The application is likely to be to Academies and high schools. Prof. Smith, an address on "Physiographic Geology"—a subject calculated to be interesting enough to scientific and learned [illegible] but which can have little to do with [illegible] the young man or woman for the responsibilities of a teacher. Prof. [illegible] an address on "Magic [illegible]" [illegible] and obvious, no doubt. Now [illegible] these gentlemen what there is in this programme to entice into the convention the country school teachers, the school directors, and the occasional school visitors of [illegible] this city, to say nothing of those [illegible] places.

What the educational interests of the State [illegible] of the Association is that it shall go back to the original design; that it shall devise [illegible] practical work [illegible] teachers how to [illegible] their duties, instead of [illegible] a few Collegiate and Academic [illegible] with scientific dissertations, abstract speculations, and [illegible] illustrations; that it shall go to work to improve all educational systems and institutions of the State. Let it [illegible] in a practical manner of [illegible] and it will soon be no ground of [illegible] that practical men do not [illegible] its labors. There is no good reason [illegible] not in the next year or two [illegible] such a power as to be able to ap[peal] [illegible] to the Legislature for assistance in the establishment of a State Normal school. Nor is there any good reason why [the] Legislature should not grant, at the very [illegible] such an appropriation of money as would provide for the complete establishment of such a school. An act of forty or fifty lines making such provision would be worth more in practical good to the State than the same number of [illegible] of the usual [illegible]. If the State Teachers' Association do not soon move in these [illegible], we shall despair of its ever being a practical [illegible] organization.

The [illegible] Coolie Importation.

We find in the Chicago *Tribune* of the 8th [illegible] the following telegraphic report from Washington:

[illegible] Mr. Williams presented a bill to regulate the immigration of Chinese into the United States. It provides that any contract [illegible] or aid the importation or immigration of Chinese into the United States shall be null and void, and [illegible] the entering into such a contract a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine of not less than $500, and imprisonment not less than six months, or both, at the discretion of the Court. Contracts on behalf of any vessel to transport Chinese to the United States, if made with any persons other than those to be transported, are also declared null and void, and are punishable as above. The act is not to be construed, however, to deny Chinamen, free from any contract or obligation of services, the right of voluntary immigration into the United States."

This bill, if it become a law, will very effectually choke off the Koopmanschap-Democratic scheme of planting coolie-slavery in the Southern States. We have little doubt but that it will be passed. It is in consonance with the President's recommendation, and with the sentiment of the Republican party, as well as in accord with the highest humanitarian ideas of the age. No more slavery in the United States is the popular will, and popular will is the law.

Editorial Notes.

Mr. A. B. Mullett, supervising architect of the Treasury Department, advises the sale of "the old custom-house lot at Astoria, Oregon, which is at considerable distance from the present site of the town, and of little value."

In the newspaper reports of the first day's proceedings in the U. S. Senate, we find that Mr. Williams introduced several bills in regard to improvements in the State of Oregon, among others, one to aid the construction of a telegraph line from the Columbia river to the Great Salt Lake. Mr. Corbett introduced a bill to amend the existing laws relating to internal revenue. It adds canned and preserved fish to articles exempt by law from internal tax.

In regard to the bill in the California Legislature to continue Mr. Denman in office in San Francisco, one year beyond the expiration of his legal term, there was one Democrat who manifested a sense of decency, rare to be found in his political school. Mr Briggs of the Assembly spoke against the bill, against the indecent haste of its passage, and desired to have his protest against all such partisan legislation entered upon the journals.

The essential features of the bill prepared by the Census Committee to provide for taking the census of 1870, are the creation of a Census Bureau under the jurisdiction of the Interior Department; the appointment of a Commissioner of the Census, by the President, whose office shall expire three years from the date of his commission; the appointment by the Secretary of the Interior of one Deputy Commissioner of the Census for each Congressional district. The time proposed for taking the census is the month of June, 1870.

From a paragraph or two we have seen in eastern exchanges, we infer that Mr. Jencks' bill to reform the civil service, contemplates the payment of better salaries and the employment of a less number of clerks. Mr. Mullett, Supervising Architect of the Treasury Department, in his late report, called attention to the necessity of adopting this policy, accompanying his suggestions with various reasons which seem to be sound. The cheapest government is not always the best; but the best government is always the cheapest. Poorly paid employes are seldom zealous or efficient.

A commercial writer at San Francisco represents that the exports of wheat, flour and wool, from that port, have been fully one-third larger during the present year than they were in 1868, but the price realized by the sale of these exports has been fully $2,000,000 less than last year—a positive loss to the producers to that extent. Of course, we of Oregon, have had our share in the loss. Taking into account the decreased production of bullion and the decreased receipts from sale of produce, the balance against the coast as compared with 1868, is not less than the loss of $10,000,000, in the vital element of business, in eleven months.

The Sacramento *Record* says: "Stealing is the order of the day; and 'let's rake the treasury,' as Mr. Duffy graphically expressed it, has been laid down as the rule of Democratic action during the present session of the Legislature. The first steal, the initiatory step of the grand movement, was made last Saturday, when a committee reported, besides mileage for members, large sums to officers of the last Legislature who were dancing attendance on this one for re-election, who did not do one minute's work to earn such sums, and were entirely unnecessary to the work of organizing the Legislature. The effrontery of this steal was too much for some of the Democratic members."

OREGON.

Lumber is selling at $17 50 per thousand feet, at La Grande.

About one hundred Chinese are making good wages mining on the bars of the Columbia river, in Umatilla county.

The Coos Bay schooner *Alaska*, the wreck of which was noted some days ago, has been sold at auction for two hundred dollars.

A number of families have recently settled on the middle fork of the Coquille river, below what is known as "Enchanted Prairie."

The Thomas & Ruckles road over the Blue Mountains is closed to travel for the present on account of the destruction of bridges by freshets.

David Noah, Sr., while at work on the Coquille river, on the 14th inst., was injured by a rolling log, so seriously as to raise apprehensions that he cannot recover.

On Tuesday the steamer *Success* ran upon a snag in the Willamette, near Independence, and received such injury that it was found necessary to run her upon a beach. She sunk in shallow water. She had on board two thousand bushels of wheat for the Salem Mills. No doubt is entertained of the ability of her crew to raise and repair her without any great cost.

The Salem *Statesman* has the following in relation to Mr. Meacham's expedition: "Mr. O. C. Applegate informs us that he has received a dispatch from Capt. McCall saying that Superintendent Meacham was in the Modoc country, and made an effort to induce those Indian to go upon the Reservation. The Modocs are found in northern California, just across the Oregon line. They were treated with in 1864, at the same time with the Klamaths, who are now on the Reservation; many of these Modocs did go upon the Reservation at the time, under their high chief, and this effort is being made by Mr. Meacham to induce the remainder of the tribe to join them in making that their permanent residence. All the Snakes who were at Camp Warner are now at the Reservation, and a few of those from Camp Harney; the majority of the latter, however, were not willing to remove from the old hunting ground.

IDAHO.

(From the Boise Statesman, Dec. 14th.)

Sim Walters was executed at Idaho City last Friday. He stubbornly asserted his innocence to the last, though it is said he wrote a communication which will be published in the *World* of this week.

The trial of Theodore Burmester upon indictment for the murder of Russel B. Morford commenced yesterday. A large number of witnesses went up to Idaho yesterday and to-day, and still more will go to-morrow. About forty in all were summoned.

It appears from the proceedings of the Board of Commissioners (Owyhee county) published in the *Avalanche* that the fifteen hundred dollar investigating committee ascertained that A. C. Springer, ex-Sheriff, Black Republican, had overpaid the county $20 on licenses; that the Treasurer, Democratic, had "misconcepted" the school fund $153 41 in his own favor; also that the Tax Collector, Democratic, had "defelted" $331 33 of county money. The county is indebted $43,725 83 exclusive of interest.

PERSONAL.

James Fisk, Jr., is said to have remarked that he had paid David Dudley Field, for services thus far this year, $140,000.

Hon. S. S. Cox is lecturing, without pay, for the Young Men's Christian Association in Ohio, and making money for it.

The New York *Republic* asserts that Viola Ream, before going to Europe, declined an offer of marriage from Senator Trumbull, of Illinois.

Geo. Jones, one-third owner of the New York *Times*, wants to buy the stock owned by politicians, and make an independent paper of it.

The Pope invited "his holy daughter, Isabella II., Queen of Spain," to the Ecumenical, with her "very happy husband" and "holy children."

The Rev. Everett E. Hale is to be the editor of a new magazine, something like the Harpers, to open January 1st. It will be called *The Old and New*.

The venerable Peter Cartwright says his present position has no support, and announces that he will lecture for anybody for anything they can afford to pay.

Senator Fenton, who is now in Paris, is not in good health, and in consequence his return to the United States has been delayed. He is expected to leave for home about the 10th of December.

NEVADA.

Dispatch from Reno.

RENO, Dec 21. About half past five this evening, fire was discovered in the loft of the livery stable owned by Messrs. Hammond & Wilson. Fortunately it was extinguished before much damage was done. The fire was caused by a defective chimney.

On Monday night a man named Phil. Shew, formerly of Carson, attempted to commit suicide by cutting his throat, and inflicting numerous wounds on his body. The weapon used was a small pocket knife. He is now lying in a very precarious condition and may not survive until morning. No cause is assigned for the rash act.

Travel between Reno and Virginia City is very light. Freights are also very dull. Very few goods are arriving at this point for the interior.

Weather cool with indications of snow.

The Annual Report of the United States Treasurer.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—General Spinner, United States Treasurer, in his report makes the following forcible suggestions on the question of taxation of National Banks and the manner of its collection:

The Act entitled "An Act to provide a national currency secured by a pledge of United States bonds, and to provide for the circulation and redemption thereof," passed June 3, 1864, declares in section 41 "that in lieu of all existing taxes, every association shall pay to the Treasurer of the United States, in the months of January and July, a duty of one-half of one per centum each half year from and after January, 1864, upon the average amount of its notes in circulation, and a duty of one-quarter of one per centum each half year upon the average amount of its deposits, and a duty of one-quarter of one per centum each half year as aforesaid on the average amount of its capital stock, beyond the amount invested in United States bonds; and in case of default in the payment thereof by any association, the duties aforesaid may be collected in the manner provided for the collection of United States duties of other corporations, or the Treasurer may reserve the amount of said duties out of the interest as it may become due on the bonds deposited with him by such defaulting association. And it shall be the duty of each association, within ten days from the first days of January and July in each year, to make a return, under the oath of its President or Cashier, to the Treasurer of the United States, in such form as he may prescribe, of the average amount of its notes in circulation, and of the average amount of its deposits, and of the average amount of its capital stock beyond the amount invested in United States bonds, for the six months next preceding said days of January and July as aforesaid; and in default of such return, and for each default thereof, each defaulting association shall forfeit and pay to the United States the sum of $200, to be collected either out of the interest as it may become due such association on the bonds deposited with the Treasurer, or, at his option, in the manner by which penalties are to be collected of other corporations under the laws of the United States; and in case of such default the amount of the duties to be paid by such association shall be assessed upon the amount of notes delivered to such association by the Comptroller of the Currency, and upon the highest amount of its deposits and capital stock, to be assessed in such other manner as the Treasurer may deem best."

It will be seen that while there is no difficulty in obtaining from the office of the Comptroller of the Currency all the necessary information by which a proper assessment can be made, and that, too, so that the rates will be high enough to make the extra assessment of itself a pretty heavy penalty, and enough to prevent the recurrence of the neglect, and yet there is a penalty of $200 imposed by the law for a neglect on the part of any bank to make a proper return in the proper time, while for the neglect or refusal on the part of any bank that may have made the return to pay the duty upon such return there is no available penalty. The only practical way under the law in such cases is to retain the interest due the defaulting bank on its stocks deposited with the Treasurer. Now it so happens that the banks are by law allowed ten days from the first days of January and July in which to make their returns, and that much of the interest falls due and is paid on these very days. Most of the remainder of the interest falls due four months later, to-wit: on the first days of May and November. Thus the remedy of the coercive power to collect the duties is put off either for four or six months, as the interest may become due on the stocks of such defaulting banks, and the Government is in the meantime wrongfully kept out of its dues. A very few, but the number may grow larger, unlike the great mass of banks, seem to care more for the money they may make by retaining the dues of the Government for four or six months, than they do for their reputations, and avail themselves of this oversight in the law to defraud the United States. Such banks make their returns regularly, for there is a penalty for the neglect to do so; but they neglect to pay the duty within the month, as required by the law, because it is their interest not to pay, and because there is no penalty for that neglect. The forty-first section of the National Bank Act, should in order to be effective, be so amended as to change the penalty from the non-essential part, for not making a report, to the very important one of enforcing the prompt payment of the duty to the Government.

The various modes for the collection of taxes in their best forms are more or less offensive to the parties taxed. The process for their assessment and collection should therefore be the most simple in form and the least offensive and vexatious possible to the taxpayers. It is believed that the National Banks are unnecessarily harrassed in the matter of the payment of their dues to the Government. They are called upon semi-annually by this office to pay one-half of one per cent. on their circulation, and one-quarter of one per cent. each on their deposits and on their capital stock, all under the head of duty. The collections from the three sources named as duty, during the fiscal year ending with June 30, 1869, amounted in the aggregate to $5,911,280 64. This large amount was paid into the Treasury without any expense for its collection to the banks or to the Government. The National Banks are also required to pay to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue a special tax of $2 upon every $1,000 of capital stock, and a tax of five per cent. on all dividends, and five per cent. on all undistributed sums, or sums made or added during the year to their surplus or contingent funds. With all the investigation that has so far been had no accurate result could be arrived at as to the aggregate amount so collected from the National Banks by the Commissioner of Internal Revenue on the three items mentioned. The collections from National Banks are included in the accounts as kept with these same items of taxes and various other items of taxes that have been collected from banks, bankers, trust companies, savings institutions, or any fire, marine, life or inland insurance companies. Enough has, however, been ascertained to warrant the conclusion that the gross amount of taxes so collected by the Commissioner of Internal Revenue from all the National Banks, does not exceed one-half the amount collected by the Treasurer as duty from these same banks. Now, it is submitted whether it would not be better to have the statutes so amended as to make all these collections semi-annually, and to give the collection of the whole six items of tax of duty from all National Banks, entirely and exclusively, either to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue or to the Treasurer of the United States.

In the last annual statement from this office the fact was stated that 157 of the National Banks had, within that fiscal year, failed to comply with the provisions of the twenty-fifth section of the Act entitled "An Act to provide a national currency," passed June 3, 1864. This Act makes it the duty of every bank organized under it, which has bonds deposited in the office of the Treasurer of the United States, once or oftener in each fiscal year, to examine and compare the bonds so deposited with the books of the Controller and the accounts of the association, and if found correct to execute to the Treasurer a certificate setting forth that and other facts.

Within this fiscal year only 1,135 of the banks have caused this examination to be made, and 527 have ignored this duty and the plain provisions of law. It thus appears that the number of banks that have failed to comply with the law in this regard is more than triple this year what it was last year. At this rate the law will in a few years be entirely disregarded by all the banks. As the law is a salutary one, essential to the safety of the banks as well as the Treasury, it is most respectfully suggested that the law may be so amended as to compel a compliance with the provisions of the Act and a performance of the duty. A fine of $50 or $100 to be withheld from the interest of their stocks held by the Treasurer, would force compliance and remedy the evil."

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FOR THE

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ALSO,

75 nests CLOTHES BASKETS;

50 nests MARKET [illegible]

ALSO,

100 hf bbls DRIED PEACHES;

100 hf bbls SUGAR;

100 bbls SYRUP;

ALSO,

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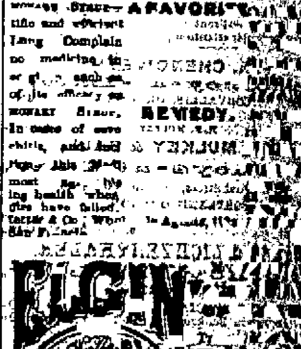

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THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING [illegible] partnership under [illegible] ters and Whol[esale] [illegible] VISIONS take this method of [illegible] chants of Oregon, Washington and [illegible] patronage.

Careful and prompt attention will be given to all orders.

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405 CLAY STREET,

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SUGAR FIGURES,

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N. B.—Our Candies are suited to [illegible]

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Notice.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS of the PORTLAND DRAY AND HACK COMPANY will be held at their office in this city on Saturday the 1st day of January, 1870, at 2 o'clock P. M.

d21dtd ED. F. ALBRIGHT, Secretary.

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COMMON COUNCIL.—The Common Council met last evening at 7 15 o clock

Present—Mayor Goldsmith Councilmen Bills Hopkins, Lewis Moffett Porter and Ripley—8

PETITIONS MEMORIALS ET

The petition of S Blumauer and others relative to a street lamp at the corner of Morrison and Fourth streets was referred to the Committee on Streets and Public property

Geo. W. Hoyt and others presented a petition praying for the improvement of North Third street Referred to same committee

CLAIMS AGAINST THE CITY

Warrants were ordered drawn in payment of the following claims Richard Sorter $3 Oregon Herald, $20 50 Rhodes & Butts $163 92 Pearson Bros, $73 65

MISCELLANEOUS

A resolution was offered and carried withdraw the notice heretofore given for the improvement of Fourth street from B to Sherman on account of some irregularities in the notice and the arrangement heretofore made with the O C R R Co. to lay a railroad track and run cars along

The city officers were instructed to file reports of the doings of their respective offices by the 1st of January, 1870

On motion, the Council adjourned

RAILROAD.—The tracklaying on the first section of the Oregon Central Railroad East side is completed. Some fifty feet more than that length was laid down last evening There is a little work to be done on the bridge on Clackamas which will be entirely completed to-morrow [illegible] the Commissioners appointed to [illegible] the road will pass over [illegible] their report of its completion We hear it rumored [illegible] and freight cars will be put the [illegible] about the first of January but we do not [illegible] from the card" in this respect But [illegible] the road is now built is a fact and that [illegible] is to derive a great benefit from it no one [illegible] capable of reasoning from cause to effect [illegible] can deny What final disposition of the [illegible] concerning the land grant of which so [illegible] has been said, will be made by the courts [illegible] Congress, whose province it is to determine [illegible] we know not, but we do know that the [illegible] requirement of the granting act has [illegible] complied with in the construction of the [illegible] of the road within the time limited [illegible] law. While we disclaim all prejudice [illegible] toward on either side of the river, we are [illegible] led to believe that the building of one [illegible] in Oregon is disastrous to the inter[illegible] of the State or of the city of Portland We [illegible] at the success of the railroad interests of [illegible] manifested by the completion of that [illegible] East Side, by Mr. Holladay, and not par[illegible] in the success of Mr Holladay himself, [illegible] difficulties encountered and overcome, [illegible] invested by him are indicative of [illegible] which will and should be rewarded [illegible] time we are ready and willing at all [illegible] encourage the building of a road on the [illegible] in any laudable way. Both roads are [illegible] but decrying the enterprise of building [illegible] any effect tending to the construction

MA[illegible].—The schooner *Alaska*, says [illegible] paper, "sailed for Portland on [illegible] December with 92,000 lbs of sugar, [illegible] salt and other cargo " Hence she is [illegible] and may be expected soon She is con[illegible] to McCraken, Merrill & Co

[illegible] are being [illegible] on the smoke-stack of [illegible] now in this port.

[illegible] yard of Bowser & Co's sawmill is [illegible] with slippery plank floor.

[illegible] number of feet of lumber sawed at [illegible] mills in this city during the present [illegible] 600,000. The most of this [illegible] on the tailows [illegible] going [illegible] city. This will get one idea of the ex[illegible] of Portland's progress in one direction.

[illegible] stock about the city, occasionally [illegible] into the Plaza, and as they are lia[illegible] to destroy the trees and shrubbery there, [illegible] will be under the necessity of im[illegible] unless [illegible] keep them up.

[illegible] have been [illegible] West Park.

[illegible] are confined in the county jail [illegible] two under [illegible] in the Penitentiary and [illegible] making ten in all.

[illegible] on her late trip from San [illegible] six hundred tons of salt to L. [illegible] of this city. She is now dis[illegible] Flanders' wharf.

[illegible] Oregon City bring heavy freights [illegible] on each trip. The principal [illegible] flour and fruit.

[illegible].—Yesterday Mr. Richardson [illegible] 24, east of the Plaza, for $5,700, [illegible] confidence in the [illegible] of Portland which those who [illegible] the signs of the times will not [illegible] to invest money in real estate [illegible] Know it Hence these [illegible] seemingly large, are not [illegible] when the future is

[illegible] speaking of our respected [illegible] we take the occasion to say [illegible] was done him by an item [illegible] Monday last in this paper. Lot 2 [illegible] was reported to have been bid in by [illegible] This was incorrect, as when Mr. [illegible] puts up a piece of property and gets [illegible] invariable rule is to sell The sale of [illegible] was only postponed for one [illegible] our item was founded on information [illegible]

[illegible] LODGE.—This lodge of Good Tem[illegible] organized by Grand Worthy Chief Tem[illegible] neighborhood in Clack[illegible] on the 13th inst The officers chosen [illegible] Mattoon, W. C. T Mary Palmateer [illegible] H. Price, W S, E Price W A S [illegible] F. S., M. J Pierce W T D [illegible] W. D M, Emma Davis W I G, M [illegible] W Palmateer P W C T [illegible] Lodge Deputy, John Pal[illegible] meeting Wednesday Place [illegible] school house.

[illegible] COURT.—The jurors in attendance [illegible] were all discharged for the term [illegible] The greater part of the day was [illegible] in the argument of the case of Geo [illegible] vs. J. P O Lownsdale, a chancery [illegible] is one of the cases where is needed [illegible] much of that patience which can sit [illegible] and listen to

[illegible] lawyers with endless tongues, "

[illegible] that some of that patience was called [illegible] requisition yesterday

[illegible] Multnomah Lodge No I, A F & [illegible] at Oregon City held their annual [illegible] last Saturday evening and chose the [illegible] officers to serve during the en[illegible] year J. T. Apperson, W M [illegible] S W W. B Blanchard, J W [illegible] Treasurer D C Ireland Secre[illegible] McCue, Tyler The installation [illegible] will take place at Masonic Hall Ore[illegible] this (Thursday) evening at 7 o clock

[illegible].—Yesterday morning Judge Upton [illegible] Circuit Court sentenced John Leonard to [illegible] imprisonment in the penitentiary for [illegible] larceny The prisoner is a young [illegible] stranger in this community but said by [illegible] knew him elsewhere to be respectably [illegible] His case elicited some sympathy but [illegible] on the trial was very clear and he [illegible] the penalty of the law

[illegible] ELECT.—An election of officers of [illegible] Lodge No 4 F & A M Van[illegible] W. T., took place last Saturday night [illegible] following persons were elected Louis [illegible] M., Joseph Davidson S W John [illegible] W., C R Stegart Treasurer A A [illegible] Secretary N C Brown S D M [illegible] D., N Gibbons Tyler

[illegible] MAKE READY.—It is thought the ice [illegible] at the north end of the city will be of [illegible] strength to-day for skating purposes [illegible]—of the weather has allowed it to [illegible] condition as to smooth thess and [illegible] greater degree of cold will furnish [illegible] it, without joking, a big thing

[illegible] TREE.—The teachers and scholars [illegible] Episcopal Sabbath School will have a Christ[illegible] Trinity Church to morrow Christmas [illegible] the preparations made insure a good [illegible] exercises we learn will begin at half [illegible] o clock in the afternoon

DECEASE.—Mr Frederick Weiser for several years a resident of this city died suddenly at his home yesterday morning at about three o clock He was a native of Germany and aged nearly 44 years The funeral services will take place at the Presbyterian Church this afternoon at two o clock Services by Dr Lindsly

PERSONAL.—E C Ross [illegible] of the Walla Walla [illegible] made us a call last evening. He has been out to Hillsboro his former residence and will start [illegible] for Walla Walla [illegible] under his management is a good newspaper

NEW QUARTERS.—Capt [illegible] Catalin has removed his extensive stock of Leather and Findings to No 92 Front Street [illegible] where he will be glad to meet the public and to sell anything in his line at the lowest living prices He is a good man to trade with

ANNUAL MEETING The stockholders in the Odd Fellows Hall Association will hold their annual meeting the 4th prox for the election of a board of Directors and the transaction of other important business

YESTERDAY'S MATINEE The usual matinee at the plaza yesterday afternoon was well attended and the published programme was performed to the entertainment and delight of all present

SOIREE.—We acknowledge through late the receipt of a complimentary ticket to a soiree given at Turn Verein Hall last evening Sorry we could not attend as a pleasant time was had

IN PORT.—The steamship *Moses Taylor* from San Francisco arrived at her berth in this city at 10 o clock last night Her passenger list will be found elsewhere

IN MEMORIAM.—The flags upon the engine houses in this city were placed at half mast yesterday in respect to the memory of F Weiser a fellow fireman

Ex Senator Latham of California recently gave an order to a San Francisco publisher for a set of all the standard English works and the order has been filled in London every volume in full Russia binding The cost of the entire set, delivered in San Francisco will be $40 000

QUITE A CHANGE ON FIRST STREET.—Walking along First street it seems to our citizens to be on Broadway New York Barman Bros make quite a display with the handsomest Clothing Merchant Tailoring and Gents Furnishing Goods that ever was seen in our city and it is a surprise how cheap they sell At the corner in the Odd Fellows Temple 101 First street

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IMPORTANT NEWS.—To gentlemen who are married, those who are going to be or those who would like to be If you want to get a fine Suit of Clothing for the Holidays or to get married in you can find them at very low rates by calling at Beck & Waldman's corner Front and Washington streets, Portland Oregon

THE UNION REPUBLICAN STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF OREGON

Will meet at the office of Hon J H Mitchell in the city of Portland on Wednesday the 19th day of January, 1870 at 10 o clock A M. to designate the time and place for holding the Union Republican State Convention of 1870 M P BERRY Chairman

Salem, Dec. 15, 1869

Exchange papers please copy

Notice—Members of the several Companies are requested to meet at their respective Engine Houses in Citizen's Dress at 1½ o'clock P M this day for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother fireman, Fredrick Weiser, member of Columbian Engine Co No 3

W H WEED, Chief Engineer.

Portland, Dec. 23, 1869

Vigilance Hook & Ladder Co., No. 1—The members of the Company are requested to meet at the Truck House at 1½ o'clock P M. sharp.

By order of the Foreman

Portland Dec. 23, 1869

Multnomah Engine Company No. 2—The members are requested to meet at the Engine House in citizen's dress at half past 1 o clock to attend the funeral of our late brother fireman Fredrick Weiser

By order of the Foreman

N SCHUYLER Sec pro tem

Portland December 23 1869

Columbian Engine Company, No. 3—The members are requested to meet at the Engine House at 1½ o'clock P. M, for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother fireman Fredrick Weiser de[illegible] By order of the foreman

Portland, Dec. 23, 1869

Protection Engine Company No. 4—You will meet at the Hall of your Company this day at 1 o'clock P M to attend the funeral of our late brother fireman Fredrick Weiser A general attendance is requested By order of

Portland, Dec. 23 1869 R HOLMAN Foreman

Emmet Guard, Attention!—You will meet at your Armory this evening at 7½ o clock A full attendance is required

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Samaritan Lodge No 2, I O O F—Meets every Wednesday evening at [illegible] o clock in Stark's building third story opposite Cosmopolitan Hotel Members of the order are invited to attend By order of N G

Multnomah Lodge No 12, I O G T—Holds Regular Meetings at 7½ o'clock on Saturday evenings of each week All members in good standing are invited to attend By order of W C T

Marine Intelligence

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Portland Dec 23 [illegible] steamer *Moses Taylor* Wm Metzger Co[illegible] from San Francisco will pass engers and freight to Geo Weidler Agent

MEMORANDA

Str *Moses Taylor* Capt W Metzger left San Francisco Dec 19th at 11 A M [illegible] Dec 23 [illegible] A M Arrived at Portland 10 P M

PASSENGERS

J C Holladay Chas Marshall D Hilligan and wife U S A Wm Corbett B F Briggs and wife Mrs C W Higgins R Rader and wife C Knox J Bauer W B Kyle, H W Brewer J H M [illegible] Geo Hart R Apial Mrs Apial Hunt [illegible] Landever Thos Maskey and wife N S [illegible] ter J F White W I Stone David Brown W Cochrane C A Reynolds, F McDermott and wife Miss B Grist, Ed Kahn Jas Chalmers Thos P Worthey wife and sister Alex Campbell wife and child L A Bigelow M Levy R Chambers Mr McGregor and wife Mrs Heyman and child Dr V Bradford W F & Co's Messenger and 40 others

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Hassalo Lodge No. 15, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Friday evening at 8 o clock in Stark's building third story opposite Cosmopolitan Hotel Members of the order are invited to attend By order of N G

Nonpareil Lodge No. 86, I. O. G. T.—Meets every Thursday evening at 7½ o clock Hall in Poppleton's building First Street, between Yamhill and Taylor Members in good standing are invited to attend y7dtf By order of the W C T

Portland R. A. C. No. 3.—Regular Convocation on the second Thursday evening of each month at Masonic Hall, No 16 North Front street

By order of M E H P

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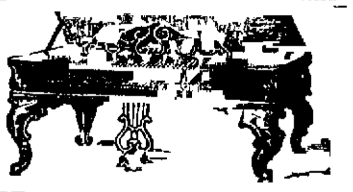

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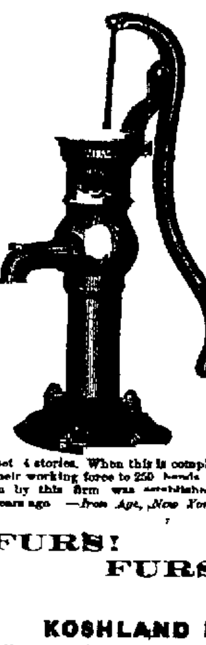

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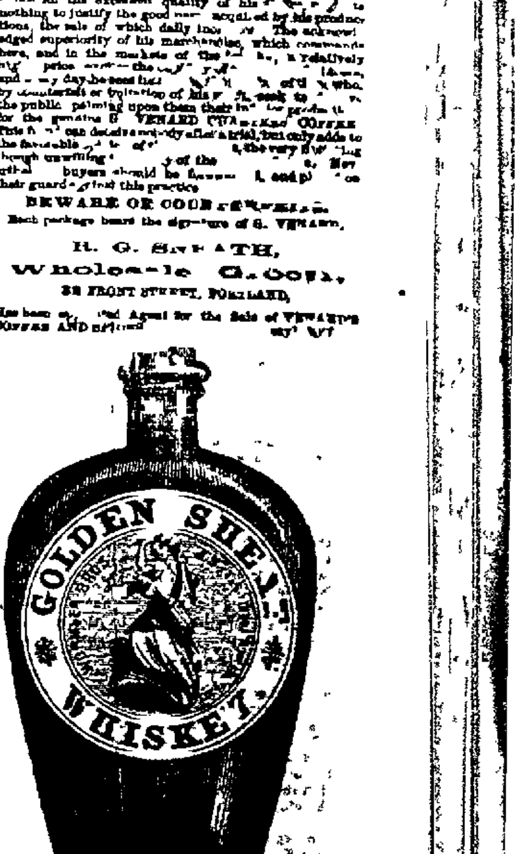

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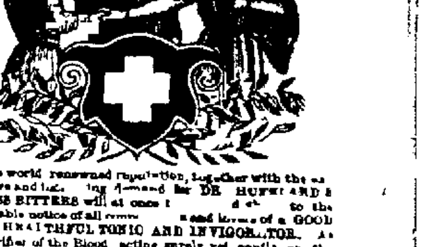

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WASHINGTON DATES TO DECEMBER 9TH

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OUR TRADE WITH CANADA.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7th.—The Statistical Bureau has prepared a full exhibit of our trade with Canada and other British possessions for the year ending June 30, 1869, which is very interesting. It shows the value of imports from Canada to the United States in that time to have been as follows

Free of duty	$4,886,65[illegible]
Subject to duty	[illegible],460,621

Our exports to Canada on domestic articles were $15,158,613, and of foreign goods re-exported from this country to that, $2,[illegible],752 Our imports from other British possessions on this continent were valued at $9 21,458 free of duty. Our exports to the same countries were $2,765,173, and our re-exports of foreign goods were $446,661

ESTIMATES FOR THE CURRENT YEAR.

The heads of the various departments are prompt with their estimates for the coming year. They are in full as follows

Legislative	$2,839,891
Executive	21,370,774
Civil list	25,780,65[illegible]
Military	33,845,747
Naval	21,598,577
Indian Affairs	5,648,320
Pensions	30,400,000
Public works	34,000,000
Miscellaneous	21,000,000
Postal service	12,000,000
Total	$210,970,655

To these figures must be added about $13,500,000 for deficiencies from last year, making a grand aggregate of not far from $225,000,000, exclusive of interest on the public debt. A revision of the postal and miscellaneous estimates will probably result in their reduction somewhat, and it may at once be set down as certain that Congress will not appropriate any such sum as $34,000,000 for public works, unless the views of the members undergo a great change.

THE CENSUS COMMITTEE.

The schedule presented by the Census Committee are: 1. Population. 2. Mortality. 3. Agriculture. 4. Manufacturers, to which is added mining. 5. Mercantile, under which each merchant must return the amount of purchases and sales, number of persons employed and capital invested. 6. Social Under this, in addition to schools and churches, is included all reformatory and benevolent institutions. 7. Transportation, to include full returns from all public carriers of the whole business done in passengers and freights, number of employes, profits, expenses, and accidents. 8 Fisheries. Each of the old schedules has been so extended as to cover far greater ground than in the last census, while 5, 7 and 8 are wholly new. The bill is the order of the day for Wednesday.

ARMY BILL.

The consolidation of the staff corps, as proposed in General Garfield's bill, and recommended by General Sherman, contemplates the union of the Quartermaster, Commissary and Pay Departments, to be called the Department of Supply. The Ordnance Bureau was to be merged into the artillery, and so into the line. The Second Department was formed of Inspectors and Adjutant Generals. It has just been ascertained that precisely such consolidation as this is now going on in the English army, having been brought about by a commission which examined the leading officers the same as one of the House committee did.

THE REPORT OF THE PUBLIC PRINTER

for the year ending September 30, 1869, is out. The principal feature of general interest is that the whole [illegible] of the printing office in that year was $1,507,249, which is about $200,000 more than the expense of last year, and $9,000 less than in 1867. He recommends the enlargement of the buildings, at an estimated cost of $100,000.

BILL TO REMOVE POLITICAL DISABILITIES.

The following is a copy of the bill introduced by Mr. Stevenson, of Ohio, in the House to-day:

Be it enacted, &c., two-thirds of each house concurring herein, That upon the ratification of the [illegible] Fifteenth Article of Amendment by the Legislatures of three-fourths of the States, all legal and political disabilities imposed by the Fourteenth Article of Amendment to the Constitution of the United States, shall, by the operation thereof, be removed from all persons subject thereto who shall have been at the date of said passage citizens and actual residents of any State, the Legislature of which shall have voted to ratify said Fifteenth Article of Amendment: *Provided*, however, That the provisions hereof shall not apply to any person who shall be indicted for any crime committed in or in aid of the late rebellion, nor to any [illegible] during [illegible] was guilty of cruelty or inhumanity to any prisoner of war held or claiming to surrender as such, nor to any person who aided, abetted or countenanced the assassination of Abraham Lincoln.

MR. SUMNER'S BANKING BILL.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Mr. Sumner introduced the following bill to amend the Banking act, and provide return to specie payment:

Be it enacted, &c., that so much of the Banking act as limits the issue of bills to $300,000,000 is hereby repealed, and the existing banks may be enlarged and new banks may be organized, at the discretion of the Secretary of the Treasury; but no more bills than are now authorized by the Banking act shall hereafter be issued unless the Secretary, at the time of their issue, can and does destroy a like amount of legal tenders, and the increase of bank bills hereby authorised shall not exceed $50,000,000 per year, which amount shall be so distributed by the Secretary of the Treasury as to equalize, as near as possible, the banking interests of the different States.

Mr. Sumner indicated the following reasons in favor of the bill: First, it will create a demand for our national bonds, and to this extent fortify the national credit. Second, it will tend to satisfy those parts of the country, especially at the South and West, where currency and banks are wanting, and thus settle a difficult question. Third, it will not contract or expand the currency, so that opposite parties on these questions may support it. Fourth, under it banks will gradually be strengthened and prepared to resume specie payment. Fifth, it will give the South and West the opportunity to organize banks, and will interest these parts of the country to this extent in national securities, and the National Banking system, by which both will be strengthened. Sixth, it will, within a reasonable time, relieve the country of the whole greenback system, and thus dispose of an important question. Seventh, it will hasten the return of specie payments. The bill was tabled for the present.

GENERAL CANBY'S REPORT.

General E. R. S. Canby's report for Virginia embodies statements relative to the recent elections, asks additional appropriations, for reconstruction purposes, of $65,000, and has the following of general interest:

"One of the most important duties devolving on the District Commander, after I assumed the command, April 20, 1869, was that of making appointments to fill vacancies in civil offices created by the operation of the joint resolution of Congress of February 18, 1869. The total number of civil offices in the State affected by the resolution was 5,661, and of the number only 885 were found in office who could qualify under the law of July 2, 1862, leaving 5,276 appointments to be made. To the 1st of October inst., 3,070 appointments have been made, and of those 768 have declined, resigned, been removed, or have failed to qualify, leaving 2,361 now in office, and 2,814 vacancies. From the first, it was found very difficult to find suitable persons who were willing to accept offices, the duties of which interfered with their ordinary business, or occasioned a good deal of trouble and yielded no compensation. Another embarrassment resulted from the social and political pressure that was brought to bear upon nearly all native Virginians who were suggested or recommended for an office that involved the necessity of taking the oath of office prescribed by the law of July 2, 1862. At this time, however, it is believed that every county has a sufficient number of qualified magistrates to organize and hold its regular courts and, with few exceptions, county organization is so far completed as to be in working condition.

GEN. HALLECK'S ENDORSEMENT ON GEN. TERRY'S REPORT.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Gen. Halleck, commanding the Military Division of the South, endorses the letter of Gen. Terry as follows

"I cannot concur entirely in the views of Gen Terry. After the recognition for so long a time of the State Government of Georgia by the President and the highest military authorities, for these officers to now retrace their steps and declare their own acts illegal and void, would not only seem inconsistent, but might produce much harm. Should Congress, however, decide to return the State to the condition of a military district, under the Reconstruction laws, on the ground that it had not been fully reconstructed, the case would be very different. I, therefore, respectfully recommend that the matter be left for the action of Congress."

The conclusion of Gen. Terry's report is as follows:

"In conclusion, I desire to express my conviction that the only way to restore good order in this State is to resume military control over it for the time being, and ultimately to provide by law that the Legislature shall reassemble as a Provisional Legislature, from which all ineligible persons shall be excluded, and to which all eligible persons elected to it, whether white or black, shall be admitted Such a Legislature would, I believe, enact such laws and invest the Executive with such powers as would enable him to keep the peace, protect life and property, and punish crime The process of resuming military control would it appears to me, be a very simple one. All that would be required is an order from the President countermanding General Orders No. 55, Adjutant General's Office, July 28, 1868, and orders No 103 Headquarters Third Military District, July 22, 1868, and assigning an officer to the command of the district, except the States of Florida and Alabama. This action I respectfully recommend."

TRUMBULL'S BILL TO PREVENT OFFICE BROKING.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Mr. Trumbull introduced a bill to relieve members of Congress from importunity, and to preserve the independence of the different departments of the government It provides that any member of Congress or Delegate from a Territory who shall, directly or indirectly, solicit or recommend the appointment to office by the President or heads of departments, of any person, in any of the executive departments, except such recommendation be in writing, in response to a written request of the head of a department, asking information, or by a Senator giving his advice or consent in the manner provided by the constitution, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and, on conviction thereof, shall be fined not exceeding $1,000 for each offence, and it shall not be lawful for the President or head of any department to appoint to office or employ in his department any person who shall be directly or indirectly recommended by any member of Congress or Delegate from a Territory except in the manner now provided. Mr. Trumbull explained the provisions of the bill. That some reform was needed was generally conceded. A civil service bill had been prepared which made the appointment to office depend on the fitness of the applicant to be determined by a board of examiners, but the difficulty was to organize a board which should itself be beyond partisan control. The powers of the Government were divided up into three departments. Ours was emphatically a government of checks and balances, upon the proper maintenance of which the perpetuation of our republican system depended. In some of the States not only where the governments divided into executive, legislative and judicial branches, but positive prohibitions were laid down in the constitutions of those States against the exercise of any powers properly belonging to one by either of the other. While the United States Constitution vested the legislative power in a Congress, the executive power in a President, and the judicial power in the courts, it did not so absolutely inhibit the exercise of any part of the powers of one by the other, as was done by some of the constitutions in regard to State affairs. The appointment to office, properly an executive function under the Federal constitution, was not given exclusively to the Executive Department. Indeed, neither the President nor any head of a department could appoint an officer in any case without the consent of Congress, or the advice or consent of the Senate, the constitution requiring the President to nominate by and with the consent of the Senate, to appoint all officers of the United States except the President, Vice President, Senators, Representatives and the officers of the two houses of Congress. During a recess of the Senate, the President may appoint to fill a vacancy. All other powers exercised by the President and heads of departments were conferred by acts of Congress. Practically appointment had not, for some years, been made within the constitutional mode. Nominally appointments were made, but in reality were dictated, in a vast majority of cases, by an influence unknown to the constitution. Every Senator and Representative knew that appointments were dictated by them, and the President and heads of departments were not left free to make selections with an eye single to the public good. As a general rule, no man could be appointed to any office local to the district, unless he had the recommendation of persons who happened to represent the district for the time being in Congress, if he be a friend of the Administration. So arbitrary was this rule that he knew of instances of faithful public officers, friends of the Administration, being removed to make place for a friend of the Representatives from the district, and at a subsequent period, during the same administration, the new appointee had been removed, to give place either to the former incumbent or some other friend of a new Representative, and who, at a subsequent election, had succeeded in supplanting the former one. When the nomination came before the Senate, the action upon it was a mere form, and, in many cases no other question was asked than whether the nominee was acceptable to the member of Congress concerned. In some instances influences were brought to bear to secure the election of members of Congress, with the understanding that in such case a candidate would use his influence in favor of a certain party. This practice has led to the creation of offices to provide places for friends of members. Then, how could members of the legislative department of the Government expect to preserve their independence as legislators, when continually asking personal favors in matters of appointments from the heads of departments. This pressure by Congressmen for official favor was not less demoralizing to the appointing power than to themselves. The President and heads of departments being dependent upon Congress for legislative support, could not fail to disregard the wishes of members. In some of the departments, the speaker had been informed, a debit and credit account was actually kept with Congress, crediting them with a certain number of appointments and charging them with those made for them, as if the appointments actually belonged to members of Congress. The bill now introduced allowed the appointing power to obtain the benefit of the information which Congressmen might have of applicants from their own districts, by a written request to the member and his reply thereto, but the bill made it a penal offense for him to recommend in any other way, and prohibited the appointment to office of a person recommended in any other way. The custom of allowing Congressmen to make appointments had become so firmly established that it almost had the force of law, and nothing but a positive statute could remedy the evil. The beneficial effects of the measure would be felt in relieving members from unnecessary importunities, giving them time to attend to the legitimate duties with which they were charged, and freeing them from personal obligations to the President and heads of departments, while assisting in the appointment, in the future, of a better class of officials.

General Sheridan on the Fifteenth Amendment.

EXTRACT OF A SPEECH AT CINCINNATI.

My friends, I do not want it said that I left no expression of opinion to Ohio in regard to the Fifteenth Amendment. I believe in it. I believe in giving the black men of all the States a right to vote. I cannot understand the earnest desire on the part of some men to deprive the black man of the franchise. I believe the negro is a man with a soul as white as yours or mine. I believe God made him and Christ died for him. I don't believe the crown of thorns that pierced the brow of the Redeemer drew from out his saintly forehead a crimson tide for the salvation of the white man, and the nails that smote his hands and pierced His feet, drew from thence a darker tide for the redemption of the black man. As near as I can I would look on all the world as God looks on it. The black men of America have earned the right to vote. They were our comrades on many a battle-field, and when the conflict grew fierce and hot, when our lines were decimated and we were looking anxiously for help we never asked the color of the division that swept by or over us with levelled bayonets, and cheers that shook the earth. What difference did it make to us whether the cheers of victory, that came out of the battle cloud, sprang from the throats of men whose skins were white and fair, or welled up from bosoms dusky as the night? What cared we whether the blood that was reddening the field around us flowed from the veins and arteries of men boasting a long line of Saxon ancestry, or gushed from the stricken heart of men whose blood had grown fiery beneath the sultry sun of Africa? We struggled for victory and shouted with joy as the brawny slaves of the South, with teeth firmly clenched and dusky bosoms heaving with a sense of manhood, swept by us and went crushing through the lines and over the ramparts of the rebellion? My friends, as far as I am concerned, I never look at the color of a man's face who stands pointing with his battered bayonet to his title deeds of citizenship, written upon the scroll of loyalty in the blood of his race and people. My political creed is simple, and can be stated briefly.

"The man that is good enough to share my danger on the battle-field, as willing to die there, if need be, as myself, is good enough to stand up beside me and vote"

Samaritan Lodge No. 2, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock, in Stark's building, third story opposite Cosmopolitan Hotel. Members of the order are invited to attend. By order of N. G.

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FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

PORTLAND, Dec. 22, 1869

New York Gold quotations 121¼

San Francisco money market reported easy. Greenbacks 82@82½. Legal tenders in this market buying 82, selling 83½. Money is easier, banking rates 1 per cent 30 and 60 days, street loans [illegible]. Transactions mostly limited to actual wants, to enable borrowers to meet liabilities incident to closing the business operations for the year. Just at this time considerable activity is manifested in the grain market, and although no advance in price is noticed, there seems to be a growing confidence in the market. Latest advices show some signs of a continued demand from abroad, and give buyers more assurance. There are now in port three sail vessels, two of which are discharging their cargoes, and all will soon receive freight for San Francisco. The shipping facilities are not wanting to create a demand for export.

Wheat, prime quality of white readily commands 7[illegible]@72, red, number one, 65 cents per bushel.

Oats are in good demand, the supply during the past few days having slightly fallen off, though the prices remain at 37½ ordinary, and 40 for first quality

Flour is unchanged at $1 50 per qr sack for extra, and $1 12½@1 25 for country brands.

Of barley, the quantity on hand is limited to stocks in the hands of brewers and small lots for shipment when export rates will justify.

Fruit—Apples are abundant at 25@60 cents per box, according to quality

The season for pears is nearly past, and but few are on hand

Grapes are nearly out, and bring 15@20 cents a pound

The vegetable markets are well supplied and no material changes are noticed.

From telegrams received to day, we learn the following in regard to commercial matters in San Francisco

Flour—200 bbls superfine, and 1600 bbls Stockton city superfine for export private; 250 bbls Stockton city extra local Trade private.

Wheat—2800 sacks, Coast 132½, 200 sacks fair, 700 sacks common, 125, 300 choice in two lots, part to millers, private extremes of market $1 25@1 85 per 100 lbs.

Barley, 800 sks choice Coast $1; 200 sks Bay brewing, $1 12½ per 100 lbs

Oats—180 sks light, $1 20; 700 sks fair in three lots, to dealers private, no change in prices, which range from $1 20 to $1 60 per 100 lbs.

Wholesale and Jobbing Prices.

PORTLAND, Dec. 22, 1869

ALCOHOL—Eastern, $3 75; California, $3 65

BACON—Sides, $14@15c, hams 14@15c; Cross' sugar cured do. 25c; Shoulders 6@7c.

BUTTER—Oregon solid, 27@30 ⅌ lb, brine, 30@32, fresh rolls, 30@35, Isthmus, 35@37½

BEANS—White Pea 4c; Red, 5½c; Pink, 5½c, Small White, 3½; Bayou, 4; Butter, 4c

BUILDING MATERIALS—New Jersey Cement, ⅌ bbl, $6 75; Knapp's, $4 50@$5 00; Santa Cruz Lime, ⅌ bbl, $2 75; San Juan do., $3 50; Calcine Plaster, $5 25.

BROOMS.—Oregon make, No. 1, $6 25 ⅌ doz.; No. 2, $5 85 ⅌ doz.; No. 3, $4 25 ⅌ doz.; California make, No. 1, $5 75; No. 2, $4 75; No. 3, $3.75.

CANDLES—Grants, 19@19½; Emery's, 18c; Kelly's, 14c; Star, 19c; Ward's, 19½c; Harkness', 21; Macy's, 18½; Schmidt's 18c.

COFFEE—Rio, 20½@21, Costa Rica, 21@21½; Java, 21@27; Jones' Prepared Java, 40; Chartres, 30; Kona, 19c.

DRIED FRUIT—Oregon Apples, in bulk 5½, in kegs 6 cts.; California peaches now 12 cts.

FLOUR—Imperial, $5 00 ⅌ bbl.; Standard, $5 00 ⅌ bbl.; Vaughn's, $5 00; Magnolia, $5; Salem Mills, $5 00; Albany Steam Mills, $5 00; Commercial, $5; Dayton, extra $5 00; do superfine, $4 00@4 50; Oregon Mills, $5 00, Good Country brands, $4@4 60; Champoeg Mills, $5 00; Mission Mills, $5; Brooklyn Mills, $5 00; Star Mills, $5 00; McLeran's, $5 00.

GRAPES—California, $2@2 50 ⅌ box.

HARDWARE—Iron Axles, 10@11; Carriage Springs, 22@28; Axe Handles, $4 00@4 75; Pick do., $4 00@$4 50; Sledge do., $5 00@4 00; Bar Lead, 12½c; Sand Paper, $6; Pat. Cross-cut Saws, ⅌ ft, 85@90 cts.; Mill do., ⅌ ft. $1 50@2 50; Anvils, Armitage, 15; Sledges, cast steel, 50; bellows, 50@60c ⅌ inch; Newhouse traps, $4 50@$24 00; Grindstones, 4½; Cable Chain, 9 to 14; Thimble Skeins, $3 00@12 00; Scale Beams, 87½ ⅌ C.; Union Scales, Fairbanks', $14 00; Grocers' do. do., $12 50.

HORSE NAILS.—Dubbin (hand made), 48@50; Putnam (pressed), 37½@40; Griffin (pressed), 35@40.

IRON.—Round Bar, ¾ to 2 inch, 5c; Small Bar, 6½@10; Norway Shoe Shape, 8; American do., 7½; Nail Rod, 11.

LARD—Oregon 10 lb cans 13@14c; in bulk 11@12c.

MISCELLANEOUS—Raisins, new fresh layers in boxes, $4 50; ½ boxes $4 75; ¼ boxes $5 00; Currants, ⅌ lb., 17cts.; Yeast Powders, P. & M. $33 ⅌ gross, Donnelly's, do. $23; Taylor & Young's, do. $25; Saleratus, Barton's 100 ⅌ lb.; Babbitts, 11c; Oysters, Fields', $3 50; McMurrays, $3 50; Mackerel hf bbls. $16 50@17; Kits No. 1, 4 00. California cheese, 20@23.

NAILS—Best brands $5 25 ⅌ keg; Fine Finishing and brads, $6-50; Lath 3d fine $10 50; Boat Spikes, $5 50.

OILS—Kerosene Oil—Downer's 75c ⅌ gal.; Devoe's, 75; Pratt's, 75; other brands, 70; Lard Oil, $2@2 25 ⅌ gal; Winter Strained, $2; China Nut Oil, $1 25, Polar Oil, 80c; Pocahontas Oil, Hayward & Coleman's, $1 25, Tanner's Oil, 85c; Neatsfoot Oil, $2 10; Sperm Oil, $2 80. Castor Oil, $2 75; Linseed Oil, boiled, $1 50; raw, $1 40.

POWDER—Dupont's, 65c for lb cans; 55c for ½ lb cans; Rifle, in 25 lb kegs, $8 00; Sporting, in 5 lb cans, $3 50 each; Eagle Duck, 1, 2 and 3, per keg, $4 50; Hazard's Kentucky rifle, 65c for 1 lb cans; 55c for ½ lb cans; California, 55c for lb cans; 35c ½-lb cans; do per ½ keg, $8 50. Blasting ⅌ keg of 25 lbs., $2 75 Double tape fuse per M ft, $16 50 single tape fuse, per M ft, $13 50.

ROPE—Per lb., 19@20c firm.

SUGARS—Sandwich Island, [illegible]; San Francisco Yellow C, 14½@15c; Golden C, in bbls, 14½@14½; Powdered, 17; Crushed, in bbls, 18½c; in half bbls 16¾c.

SOAP—Oregon brands, 7@7½c; Colgate, 11½; Castile, 15c; Cal. brands, 7½@8¾c.

SYRUPS—Heavy Golden in bbls, 80@85c ⅌ gall; 5 gall kegs, 90@$1 ⅌ gallon; San Francisco and Pacific in kegs 92½c, in hf bbls 87½, in bbls 82½. Bay Refinery, 90c ⅌ gal. California Refinery, extra, 97½c@$1 ⅌ gallon.

SALT—Liverpool fine, $45@47 50; do. coarse, $42 50; Carmen Island $35; Ground Rock, $22 50; Dairy, $37 50; San Quentin, $32 50.

SALMON—Half bbl., (new) $6 00; bbls., (new) $10.

Weekly Retail Family Market.

PORTLAND, Dec. 22, 1869.

DOMESTIC & FOREIGN FRUITS.	
Oranges ⅌ doz	75@1 00
Lemons per doz	1 50
Green—	
Apples	85c@90
Pears, per box	1 00@1 25
Dried—	
Pears, ⅌ lb	8@10c
Apples, ⅌ lb	7@10
Peaches ⅌ lb	12½
Limes ⅌ doz	37½@50
Plums, pitless	20@25
" with pits	12½
Figs, Cal., ⅌ lb	25
" Smyrna	35
Prunes, in bulk	20
" in jars	30
GROCERIES.	
Coffee—	
Green O R ⅌ lb	25
" Java	30@33
Jones' prepared, Retail:	
Java	40
Chartres	35
Rio	30
Sugar—Crushed	20
Pulverized	20
Granulated	20
Yel C S F Ref.	16½
Islands	14
Syrups in kegs ⅌	1@1 06 gal
" per gal	1 25
Tea—Y'ng Hyson	$1 50
Imperial	[illegible]
[illegible]	$1 00@1 25
Gun Powder	$1 75
Japan	90@1 25
Black	85@1 25
PROVISIONS	
Hams, country cut	18
" Butcher's	20@22
" Butcher's and Packers (Sug' Cured)	25@27
Bacon, breakfast	[illegible]
rib	18@20
Clear side	17@19
Shoulders, country cut	12
" Butcher's and packer's	11@12
" Butcher's and packer's sug'r cured	12½
Cheese—Cal. ⅌ lb	25@30
Cheese, Oregon	25@30
Eggs fresh ⅌ doz	[illegible]@30
Honey ⅌ lb	18@20
Lard, choice, ⅌ lb	15
10 lb leaf in tins	$1 50@1 75
Butter—	
Choicefresh roll	40@50
Good " "	35@40
Ordinary	30
Common, ⅌ lb	25@30
Flour—⅌ ½ sack	
Imperial	1 50
Standard	1 50
Vaughn's	1 50
McLeran's	1 50
Salem, XXX	1 50
City Mills	1 25
Other brands	1@1 12½
POULTRY, GAME, ETC.	
Turkeys each	$2@2 50
Chickens, doz	4 50@5 00
" spring	$3 50@4 00
Puget Sound Cod	15@14
Salt Salmon ⅌ lb	8@10
VEGETABLES	
Beets ⅌ lb	2
Carrots ⅌ lb	2
Onions ⅌ lb	3
Turnips ⅌ lb	1½
Potatoes ⅌ bushel	60@75
Cabbage, ⅌ doz	50@1 00
Cauliflower, doz	1 50
Sweet potatoes, ⅌ lb	6
Parsnips ⅌ lb	3c
Celery, ⅌ doz	1 00@1 50

Domestic Produce Market.

PORTLAND, Dec. 22, 1869

Apples, green, ⅌ box	25@60
Apples dried ⅌ lb	[illegible]
Wheat, new white, ⅌ bushel	[illegible]@72
" Red, ⅌ bushel	[illegible]
Oats ⅌ bushel	40
Corn meal W. W. ⅌ 100 lbs	4 00
Corn, ⅌ 100 lbs	4 00
Ground Feed ⅌ ton	[illegible]
Peaches dried ⅌ lb	8
Bacon ⅌ lb	14
Hams	14
Shoulders	[illegible]@7
Lard, in tins	12½
Lard, in kegs	10@11
Eggs ⅌ doz	30@[illegible]
Butter	25@30
Chickens, young ⅌ doz	3 00@3 [illegible]
" grown ⅌ doz	4 00@4 50
Beans ⅌ 100 lbs	2 00@4 50
Wool, ⅌ lb	18@20
Hay, baled ⅌ ton	14@16
Hay, from wagons	12 00
Hides, salted, ⅌ lb.	6
" dry	10@11
Furs—Fisher	1 50@[illegible]
Fox cross	1 00@[illegible]
" red	75@1 00
Martin, prime, dark	2 50@4 00
" pale	1 00@2 50
Mink, dark, northern	1 00@[illegible]
" pale	50@1 00
Muskrat	10
Otter prime dark	1 75@3 00
Coon	12½
Wolf, large	75@1 00
Wild Cat	[illegible]
Skunk	12½
Fur seal	1 [illegible]
Beaver, dark, per lb.	75@1 00
Bear, black	[illegible]@4 00
" brown	[illegible]@2 50
Cat	25

Cotton Goods and Woolen Market.

PORTLAND, Dec. 22, 1869

OREGON WOOLEN GOODS.—*Blankets*, Oregon grey, No. 1, $[illegible]; No. 2, $6 50, No. 3, do $4 75, do white, No. 1 extra $1[illegible], No. 1 $8 50, do No. 2, $7, No. 2, blue, $7 75, No. 2 green, $7 75, Vicuna No. 1, $11, No. 2, $8, 5-4 White flannel, $1 00@$1 25, 4-4 White do 75c, 3-4 White [illegible], Plain assorted colors, flannel, 40@45c; Fancy Twilled shirting, [illegible]; Grey Mixed Shirting [illegible], Hard times 90c; Grey Doeskin, $1 00; Fancy do. $1 10 Drab Mixed Beaver, [illegible], Fancy Cassimeres $1 00@$1 40, Tweeds, 75@85c, Yarns, $1@1 20

COTTON GOODS.—*Sheetings*, Standard, [illegible] seconds, 11½c; light, 11[illegible]@12½c, Standard drills, 15c; *Shirting* Bleached unbleached 14@25, bleached ¾ to [illegible], Hoppe [illegible]; *Denims* 15@25c, Hickory stripes, 15@25; *Prints*, Fancy, 11c, Merrimac, 11c. De laines 18; *Ticking* [illegible], 30 inch, Double [illegible], 24@35c, 10¼ bleach, 50 Oakland heavy sheeting, 28c [illegible] sheeting 12½@13½ ⅌ yard

Cattle and Live Stock Market.

PORTLAND, Dec. 22, 1869

CATTLE—Beef cattle $[illegible]@7 00 ⅌ cwt net
SHEEP—Good to choice sheep, $2 00@2 50 ⅌ head.
PORK—[illegible] ⅌ lb
VEAL CALVES—Spring, [illegible] ⅌ lb

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT of the State of Oregon for Multnomah county C. M. Lockwood, Plaintiff, vs Quincy A Brooke Defendant Summons To Quincy A Brooke, Defendant In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled action by the next term of said Court which shall be held within six weeks after the first publication of this notice which will be the second Monday of February 1870, and if you fail so to answer for want thereof the plaintiff will take judgment against you for $[illegible] U. S. gold coin and [illegible] from the [illegible] day of January, 1869, [illegible] of action

By order of Hon. W. W. Upton, Judge of said Court

LOGAN, SHATTUCK & KILLIN,
d22d1awsw Attorneys for Plaintiff.

Notice.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDers of the Odd Fellows' Hall Association of Portland will be held at said Fellows' Hall on Front street, on Tuesday evening Jan 4 1870 for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors, and transacting such other business as may properly come before the meeting

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TAX PAYERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT the Directors of School District No. 1, Multnomah county, State of Oregon, have placed the Assessment Roll of said District for the year 1869 in my hands, with instructions to collect the taxes thereon specified, and I will be at my office No. 25 Front street, Oregon Steam Navigation Co.'s Block, for [illegible] days to receive and receipt for the same.

And notice is also hereby given, that after the expiration of the said [illegible] days, I will proceed to collect the taxes remaining unpaid [illegible] the [illegible] the Warrant of the said Directors [illegible] delivered

EDW. QUACKENBUSH,
Clerk [illegible] School District No. 1, Multnomah Co., Or.
Portland, Dec 14, 1869 d14d1

NOTICE OF ASSIGNEE OF HIS APPOINTMENT, in Bankruptcy. District of Oregon, ss. At the city of Portland the 14th day of December, 1869. The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of George [illegible] of the town of [illegible] in the county of Linn and State of Oregon, within said district, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on creditors petition by the District Court of said district.

d14d1aw3t JOSEPH BACHMAN, Assignee

NOTICE OF ASSIGNEE of his appointment in Bankruptcy District of Oregon, ss. At the city of Portland, the 14th day of December A. D. 1869. The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of A. A. Smith, of Eugene City, in the county of Lane and State of Oregon within said district, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on creditors' petition by the District Court of said district.

d14d1aw3t JOSEPH BACHMAN, Assignee

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Portland, December 11, 1869.

PHILIP SAUNDERS,
dec13d30t City Marshal

To All Persons Concerned.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in pursuance of the power vested in me by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of the 4th Judicial District of Oregon, I will proceed to sell at public auction at the Court House door in Oregon City, in Clackamas county, State of Oregon, on Friday the thirty first (31st) day of December, A. D. 1869, at eleven o'clock A. M. of said day to the highest bidder, for cash down in lawful money of the United States, the whole of the Standard Mills and all of the privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging in which E. M. Burton, Joseph Kellogg and Clementine V. Fisk are tenants in common. The purchaser under such sale will take a good [illegible] in fee simple. Terms of sale Cash in hand on day of sale, in lawful money of the United States. Sale to commence at eleven o'clock A. M. of said day

d1dtd J. M. STINSON, Referee

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES for the District of Oregon. In Bankruptcy.—This is to give notice that on the 12th day of November, A. D. 1869, a warrant in bankruptcy was issued against the estate of Ellis Walker of Union, in the county of Union and State of Oregon, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate will be held at a court of bankruptcy to be holden at No. 106 First street, Portland, before W. Lair Hill, Register, on the 31st day of December, A. D. 1869, at [illegible] o'clock A. M. of that day

THOMAS [illegible]
U. S. Marshal as Messenger

By John Dolan, Deputy d25d3a

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES for the District of Oregon. In Bankruptcy.—This is to give notice that on the 22d day of November, A. D. 1869 a warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of [illegible] of McMinnville in the county of Yamhill and State of Oregon, who has been adjudged a bankrupt [illegible] that the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate will be held at [illegible] Portland, before W. Lair Hill, Register, [illegible]

THOMAS [illegible]
U. S. Marshal as Messenger

By John Dolan, Deputy

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED [illegible]

[illegible]

JOHN CATLIN, Assignee

NOTICE OF ASSIGNEE OF HIS APPOINTMENT. In Bankruptcy. District of Oregon, ss. At the city of Portland the 4th day of December A. D. 1869. The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of L. W. Preston of Portland in the county of Multnomah and State of Oregon within said district who has been adjudged a bankrupt on creditors' petition by the District Court of said district.

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SUMMONS.—In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the county of Multnomah.—Ben [illegible] and C. Temple Emmett, plaintiffs, vs. Simon G. [illegible] Gardner Elliott, T. K. Brooks and [illegible], defendants. To Simon G. Elliott, [illegible] In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear in the above entitled court and answer the complaint filed against you in the above [illegible] or before the first day of the next regular term of said court following the expiration of the [illegible] summons, to-wit: by the [illegible] D. 1870, and if you fail so to answer, [illegible] want thereof, will take judgment and [illegible] to-wit For a dissolution of the partnership [illegible] Ben Holladay and Company, and the [illegible] for the sum of one hundred thousand [illegible] now justly owing from you to plaintiffs, and will apply to the court for the relief [illegible] and for costs and disbursements. By order of Hon. W. W. Upton, Judge

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Attorneys for Plaintiffs.

Nov 22, 1869
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Marshal's Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY VIRTUE of a warrant issued by the Auditor and Clerk of the city of Portland, dated the 27th day of [illegible] commanding me to levy upon Lots 7 and 8 in Block [illegible] in the city of Portland, and collect an [illegible] of One Hundred and Thirty Four 35-100 Dollars for the improvement of Clay street, between Fourth and [illegible] Park I have this day levied upon lots [illegible] 8 in Block numbered 204, and on Monday, the [illegible] December 1869 at 12 M. of said day, in front of [illegible] House door in said city of Portland, [illegible] State of Oregon, will sell said Lots 7 and 8 in Block [illegible] to the highest bidder therefor to pay said [illegible] costs and expenses of sale. Said sale to be for United States Gold and Silver Coin.

PHILIP SAUNDERS, City [illegible]

Portland, November 27, 1869

Guardian's Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IN PURsuance of an order of the County Court of Multnomah county, Oregon, made at the October term, 1869, I shall offer for sale, on Tuesday, December [illegible], at [illegible] o'clock A. M. at public auction, at the Court House door, in said county, the [illegible] scribed Real Estate belonging to [illegible] and minor heir of Rus[illegible] Woodard, deceased [illegible] The north fifteen feet (fractional) more or less, of the [illegible] number four, in block number [illegible] situated in the city of Portland, State of Oregon [illegible] lots to be sold separately. Terms, Gold coin in hand.

J. [illegible] VAN RENSSELAER, Guardian.

Portland, Oregon

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that by virtue of a warrant issued by the Auditor and Clerk of the City of Portland, dated December 10th, 1869, commanding me to levy upon lot [illegible] in Block seven in the City of Portland and collect an assessment thereon of [illegible] for the [illegible] of Front street between Main and Madison [illegible] I have this day levied upon said lot in [illegible] on Saturday, January 15th, 1870, at [illegible] in front of the Court House [illegible] Multnomah county, [illegible] block seven to the [illegible] and costs [illegible] for United States [illegible]

PHILIP SAUNDERS, City Marshal
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Public Notice.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Oregon. In the matter of John R. [illegible], bankrupt. In Bankruptcy Notice is hereby given that a second general meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt will be held at the City of Portland in said District on the [illegible] day of December A. D. 1869, at [illegible] o'clock A. M. at the office of W. Lair Hill, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy in said District, for the purposes named in the twenty eighth section of the Bankrupt Act of March 2, 1867.

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